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WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : MAY, 1961

This preliminary statement of Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment for the month of May, 1961 will be followed by the usual Monthly Bulletin, which gives information in greater detail.

Monthly employment estimates shown in this statement are derived from the annual Census of Factories, monthly returns of Governmental Bodies, current monthly Pay-roll Tax returns and other direct collections. They relate to all civilian wage and salary earners except those engaged in rural industry and females in private domestic service. The figures are subject to revision.

TOTAL CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES : AUSTRALIA

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestics and Defence Forces)

(Thousands)

Particulars	1960		1961	
	April	May	April	May
MALES				
In Private Employment	1,543.4	1,549.6	1,547.3	1,536.1
In Governmental Employment (a)	634.6	633.9	644.0	648.0
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	2,178.0	2,183.5	2,191.3	2,184.1
Manufacturing (b)	904.8	908.5	896.4	890.0
Other Industries	1,273.2	1,275.0	1,294.9	1,294.1
FEMALES				
In Private Employment	704.3	708.4	* 705.9	699.0
In Governmental Employment (a)	149.7	150.0	156.8	157.1
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	854.0	858.4	* 862.7	856.1
Manufacturing (b)	276.0	277.3	266.5	260.0
Other Industries	578.0	581.1	* 596.2	596.1
PERSONS				
In Private Employment	2,247.7	2,258.0	* 2,253.2	2,235.1
In Governmental Employment (a)	784.3	783.9	800.8	805.1
<u>Total in Civilian Employment</u>	3,032.0	3,041.9	* 3,054.0	3,040.2
Manufacturing (b)	1,180.8	1,185.8	1,162.9	1,150.0
Other Industries	1,851.2	1,856.1	* 1,891.1	1,890.2

(a) Includes all employees of Governmental Bodies (Commonwealth, State, Local and Semi-Governmental) on services such as railways, tramways, banks, post office, air transport, education, broadcasting, television, police, public works, factories and munitions establishments, migrant hostels, etc., as well as administrative employees, within Australia.

(b) Includes employees in industrial establishments outside the scope of the annual Factory Census and those employed by factory proprietors in selling and distribution, etc.

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WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT : STATES AND TERRITORIES

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry, Female Private Domestics and Defence Forces)
(Thousands)

State or Territory	1960		1961	
	April	May	April	May
MALES				
New South Wales	842.3	844.4	850.6	847.1
Victoria	621.5	622.6	628.4	623.8
Queensland	287.7	289.5	282.5	284.7
South Australia	196.1	196.3	196.6	196.3
Western Australia	141.4	141.5	143.1	142.7
Tasmania	69.7	69.7	70.0	69.4
Northern Territory	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.4
Australian Capital Territory	13.2	13.2	13.8	13.7
Australia:	2,178.0	2,183.5	2,191.3	2,184.1
FEMALES				
New South Wales	338.1	339.6	*339.8	338.6
Victoria	266.8	267.9	270.0	265.1
Queensland	100.4	101.2	100.8	100.7
South Australia	69.2	69.7	70.2	70.0
Western Australia	48.9	49.4	50.5	50.3
Tasmania	24.2	24.2	24.4	24.4
Northern Territory	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7
Australian Capital Territory	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.3
Australia:	854.0	858.4	*862.7	856.1
PERSONS				
New South Wales	1,180.4	1,184.0	*1,190.4	1,185.7
Victoria	888.3	890.5	898.4	888.9
Queensland	388.1	390.7	383.3	385.4
South Australia	265.3	266.0	266.8	266.3
Western Australia	190.3	190.9	193.6	193.0
Tasmania	93.9	93.9	94.4	93.8
Northern Territory	7.7	7.9	8.0	8.1
Australian Capital Territory	18.0	18.0	19.1	19.0
Australia:	3,032.0	3,041.9	*3,054.0	3,040.2

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S.R. CARVER
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